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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent is hereby corrected as shown below:

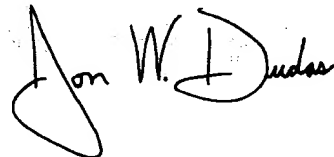
Column 2, Lines 16-17, delete the heading
“DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS”

Column 2, before Line 28, before the paragraph beginning “A vessel 1”,
insert the heading -- DETAILED DESCRIPTION OF THE PREFERRED EMBODIMENTS --

Column 4, Line 33, Claim 3, “conical disposed” should read -- conical element
disposed --

Signed and Sealed this

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A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Jon W. Dudas". The signature is stylized with a large, looped initial "J" and a cursive "Dudas".

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